

Offender Workforce Development Partnership

Let's All Work Together . . .

What is an Offender Workforce Development Partnership?

At the Local Level

A collaboration between correctional facilities, local governments and community organizations, employers and business organizations, colleges, universities, and other training institutes, faith-based organizations, family members, and the community.

At the National Level

A National Offender Workforce Development Partnership has been established between Federal government agencies and national organizations to provide overall assistance and guidance for local partnerships engaged in workforce development. The National Partners also focus on identifying strategies and alternatives for organizational and legal barriers that impact offender workforce development objectives.

Why Work Together?

The social and economic impacts of crime affect everyone!

**For more information,
contact the National Partners at
www.nicic.org/NOWDP**



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MARCH 5-7, 2007
CHARLOTTE, NC

Welcome to the DOWD Conference!

With 650,000 people being released from prison annually, this conference has become a premier crime reduction and employment event in the country. The Department of Justice reports that one of every 15 people in this country will serve a prison term during their lifetime. Of those released, 67.5% will be rearrested within three years. Having a meaningful job with a livable wage has proven to reduce the likelihood of re-offending. By networking with others throughout the nation, all attendees have the opportunity to learn better practices and implement them in their home communities.

Conference-At-A-Glance

SUNDAY, MARCH 4, 2007

7:00-8:30 pm OWDS Reunion Reception

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 2007

7:30 am Registration Open

8:00 am Exhibitor Set Up

9:00 am Pre-Conference Workshop: Offender
Employment Specialist Training (hosted by NIC)
Attendance limited to first 300 registrants

12:15 pm Opening Luncheon and Keynote Address

2:00 pm Exhibitor Showcase

2:30 pm Session A Workshops

5:00 pm Welcome Reception

TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 2007

7:30 am Registration Open

8:00 am Exhibitor Showcase and Continental Breakfast

9:00 am Morning Plenary with Keynote Address

10:30 am Session B Workshops

12:45 pm *The Winners Circle* Awards Luncheon

2:00 pm Keynote Address

3:00 pm Session C Workshops

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 2007

7:00 am Continental Breakfast

7:00 am Registration Open

8:00 am Morning Plenary with Keynote Address

9:15 am Session D Workshops

11:30 am Question and Answer Forum; Closing Plenary

12:30 pm Conference Concludes



HOSTED BY:

- United States Probation Office, Western District of North Carolina

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH:

- Federal Bureau of Prisons
- National Career Development Association
- National Institute of Corrections
- Office of Probation and Pretrial Services, Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts
- United States Probation Office, Eastern District of Missouri

Registration Fees

\$275 per person (if postmarked before 1/31/07)

\$300 per person (if postmarked after 1/31/07)

Fees include all meals listed above.

To register, go to:

<http://www.ncwp.uscourts.gov/owdconf/>

or use the attached registration form.

Hotel

Hilton Charlotte Center City

222 E. 3rd Street

Charlotte, NC 28202

Reservations, call: (704) 377-1500; ask for the DOWD

Conference Rate of \$97.50.

Exhibits & Sponsorships

Both exhibit and sponsorship opportunities are available. Contact Carri Hoffman at choffman@ncda.org for more information.

Questions

Contact the National Career Development Association at 866-367-6232.

Registration Form

Name _____

Organization _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Telephone _____

E-Mail _____

___ Certificate needed?

___ Any dietary restrictions? (please list)

___ Attending the OWDS Reunion?
(must be a graduate of the OWDS program)

\$275 Conference Registration (if postmarked by 1/31/07)

\$300 (if postmarked after 1/31/07)

Are you planning to attend the Offender Employment Specialist Training Pre-Conference Workshop hosted by NIC?
Attendance is free and limited to the first 300 registrants. You will be notified if space is not available. This session is scheduled on Monday, March 5 at 9:00 am.

___ Yes, I plan to attend

___ No, I don't plan to attend

PAYMENT (select one):

___ Check (please enclose)

___ Purchase Order (NCDA must receive a copy of the PO before the conference.) Please fax copy to 918-663-7058.
FEI: 52-6045839: A W9 can be downloaded from the website at <http://www.ncwp.uscourts.gov/owdconf/>

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